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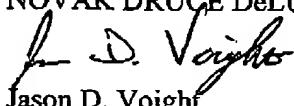
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STATUS INQUIRY

Applicants request a status report on this application. The Office GRANTED applicants' Petition to Revive this application on May 16, 2005, but has failed to take any further action on the case. Applicants request action on the RCE filed July 26, 2004. Applicants further note that the status of the application on the PAIR system is erroneously indicated as "Abandoned".  
Applicants request correction thereof.

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